

# Adult Program Trip Cary, NC - Chinese Lantern Festival Tuesday, November 27, 2018

**Do you enjoy learning about other cultures and viewing festive light shows?** Then you will want to join us for the Chinese Lantern Festival. We will be leaving from Anne Gordon Active Adult Center at Millbrook Exchange Park (1901 Spring Forest Road) at 5:00pm.

Travel with us to Cary, NC where the Booth Amphitheatre will be transformed into a magnificent setting when the North Carolina Chinese Lantern Festival returns for the fourth year this holiday season! These larger than life lanterns promise to wow visitors with their amazing craftsmanship, cultural significance and artistic beauty. The ancient art of Chinese lantern making began in the Han Dynasty (206 BC to 220 AD). Each lantern is created by hand on silk fabric stretched over steel frames and is lit with hundreds of LEDs. Take a gentle stroll at your own pace through the amazing displays along a paved path approximately 1/2 mile long. In addition to the lanterns there will be a unique showcase of Chinese culture, featuring martial arts, traditional dance, acrobatics, calligraphy and drum performances.

There will be drinks, light food and holiday snacks available at the concession stands. Please note that no outside food is allowed in the event. You are allowed to bring in 1-FACTORY SEALED bottle of water. Our group will have a reserved seating area with heaters for you to sit and relax throughout the night. <u>This event is rain or shine, we suggest you dress for the weather.</u> The group will arrive back at the Anne Gordon Center in Raleigh at approximately 9:15pm. There will be an earlier shuttle returning back at the Anne Gordon Center at 7:45pm for those choosing to return early.

## **Price:**

\$30.00 City of Raleigh Resident

\$45.00 Non-City of Raleigh Resident

### **Price Includes:**

Transportation via department bus, Chinese Lantern Festival entrance and cultural performances. Refreshments and all other activities are on your own.

### **Patron Expectations:**

This trip has a **moderate-high** volume of walking expected, including some steps, and uneven paths with loose bricks and gravel. Patrons must be able to keep to the scheduled timeline of the trip. Please remember there is no one-on-one assistance provided by the escorts.

### **Cancellation Policy:**

Cancellations must be made in writing at least 14 days prior to trip departure date to receive a refund. Full or partial refunds will be made only if a replacement can be found, and are subject to non-refundable expenses incurred by the Department. If the Department cancels a trip, a full refund will be given.



Five Point Center 919-996-4730

Anne Gordon Center 919-996-4720

Walnut Terrace Center 919-996-6160



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Make checks payable to: City of Raleigh

To Register: Complete the form below and return with full payment to:

Five Points Center for Active Adults

Adult Program

2000 Noble Road Raleigh, NC 27608

Walk-in registrations are taken at any of our Active Adult Centers. Credit Card payments can be made by phone or by RecLink: #234948

For Additional Information Contact: Adult Program Staff at 919-996-4730 or 919-996-4720

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All participants must have a current Yearly Trip Registration Form filled out and returned to the Adult Program to be registered for any Adult Program trip. The Yearly Trip Registration Form covers all trip waivers and registration January thru December. Forms can be obtained from any the Adult Trip Brochure, an Active Adult Center or on line at www.parks.raleighnc.gov (keyword search Adult Yearly Trip).

Individuals without a current Yearly Trip Registration Form: A spot on the trip will be held while being placed on the trip waitlist until a current Yearly Trip Registration Form is received. Once the form is received participants on the waitlist will be moved over to the active trip list.

By submitting a registration form and payment it is understood that it is the responsibility of the patron to update any personal information prior to participating in any and all Adult Program trips.

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Only fill out the following i	information if an account needs to b	oe updated or a new acc	ount needs to be created		
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mergency Contact	Primary	Primary Phone		Secondary Phone	

Office use:

Staff Initials

Date